

NURSING INCENTIVE SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Nursing Incentive Scholarship Fund (NISF) provides scholarships to Kentucky residents for attending approved prelicensure nursing programs (registered nurse or practical nurse) or graduate nursing programs. Scholarship recipients must work as nurses in Kentucky for one year for each academic year funded. To be eligible for consideration, an applicant must have been admitted to a nursing program.

The Nursing Incentive Scholarship Grant Review Committee accepts grant proposals for workforce competency development. Workforce competency development is defined as organized, structured or formal activity designed to improve the ability of nurses to meet the health care needs of the citizens of Kentucky. The nursing workforce is defined as actual and/or potential licensed nursing population. The funding and reporting requirements for the grants may be obtained on the KBN website.

KENTUCKY BOARD OF NURSING NURSING INCENTIVE SCHOLARSHIP FUND SUMMARY: FY 98-03

APPLICATION DATA	FY 98-99	FY 99-00	FY 00-01	FY 01-02	FY 02-03
Apps Processed	576	859	648	491	679
Apps Complete/Not Funded	396	561	498	274	393
Apps Incomplete/Not Funded	22	26	18	30	64
Apps Approved/Funded:	158	272	132	255	149
Initial	99	223	56	37	76
Continuation	59	49	76	218	73
Recipients Completed (549*)	41	38	6	110	219

NISF AWARD DATA	FY 98-99	FY 99-00	FY 00-01	FY 01-02	FY 02-03
NISF Fund Balance	\$290,000	\$660,834	\$530,000	\$566,935	\$922,910
NISF Awards Granted:	\$288,340	\$517,340	\$234,000	\$430,000	\$409,500
Initial	\$173,000	\$424,000	\$97,000	\$371,000	\$205,500
Continuation	\$115,340	\$93,340	\$137,000	\$59,000	\$204,000

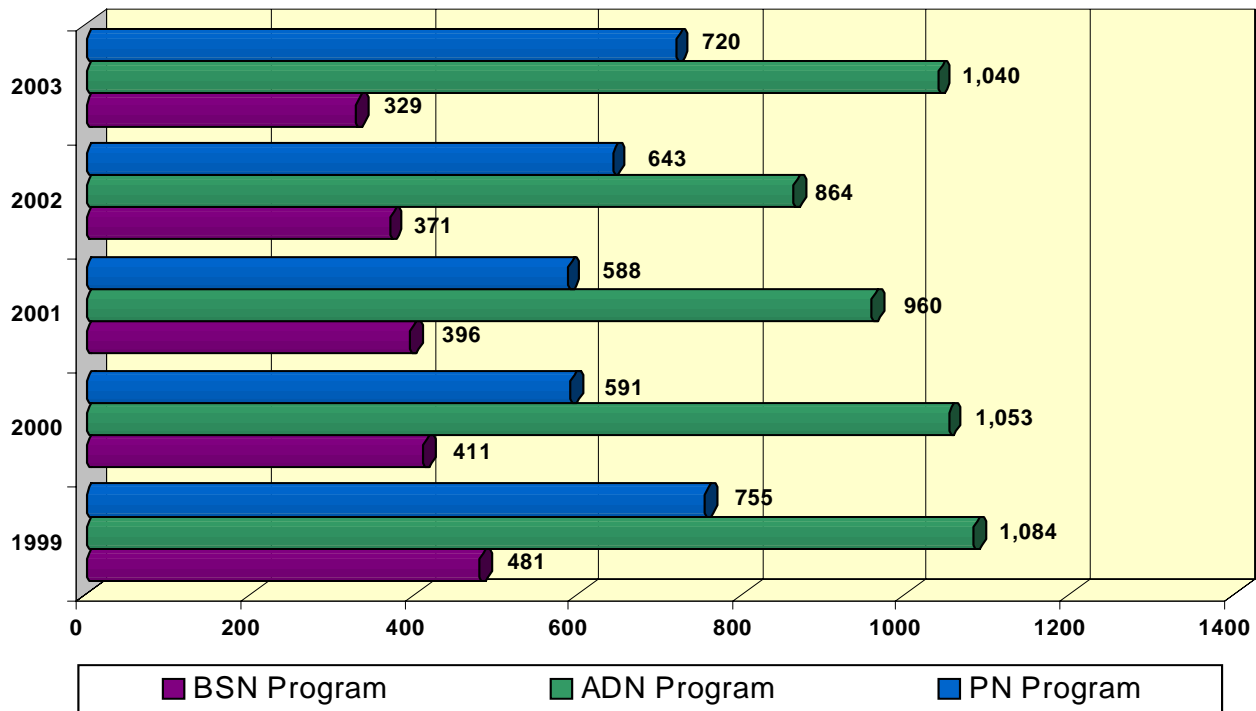
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Note: The amount of awards varies each fiscal year due to cancellations, deferments, and defaults.

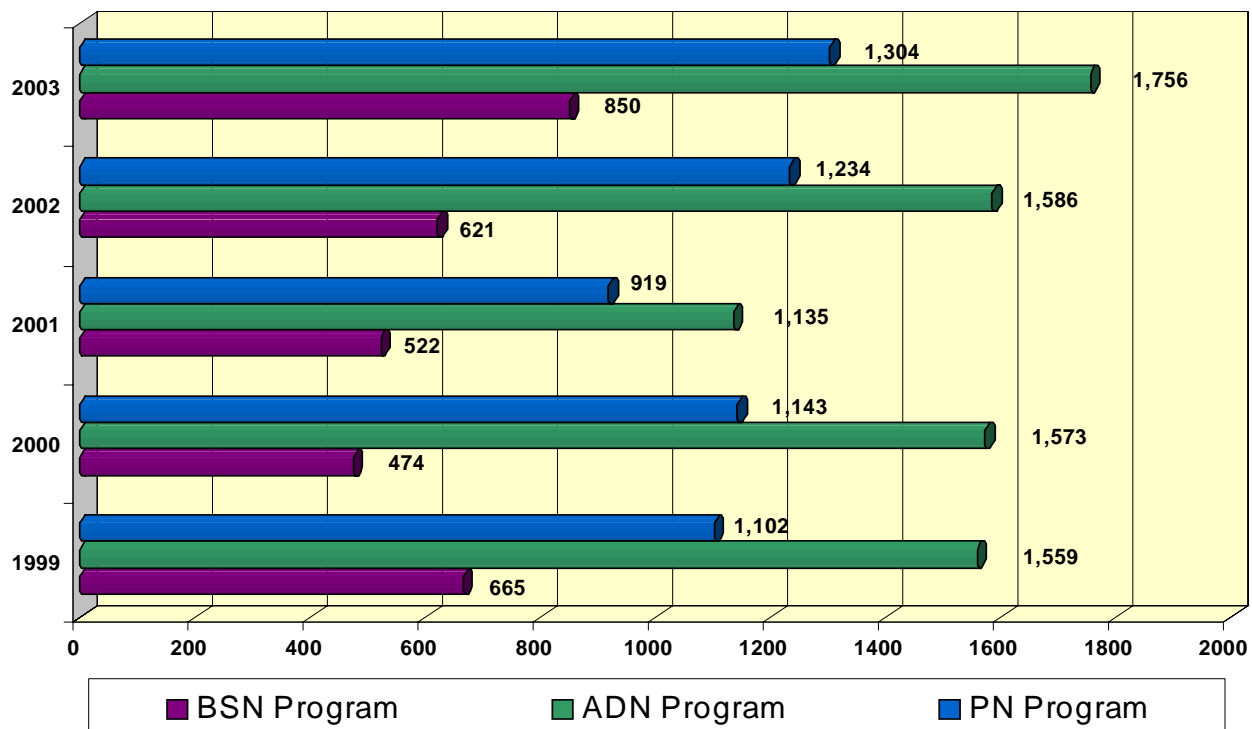
NURSING EDUCATION

The Kentucky Board of Nursing is the legally authorized body in the Commonwealth to approve programs of nursing preparing persons for eligibility for licensure as nurses. Through the provisions of the *Kentucky Nursing Laws* and applicable Kentucky administrative regulations, the Board prescribes standards for educational institutions offering programs preparing candidates for licensure as nurses. As of June 30, 2003, there were a total of 12 baccalaureate nursing (BSN) programs, 24 associate degree (ADN) programs, and 20 practical nursing (PN) programs approved by KBN.

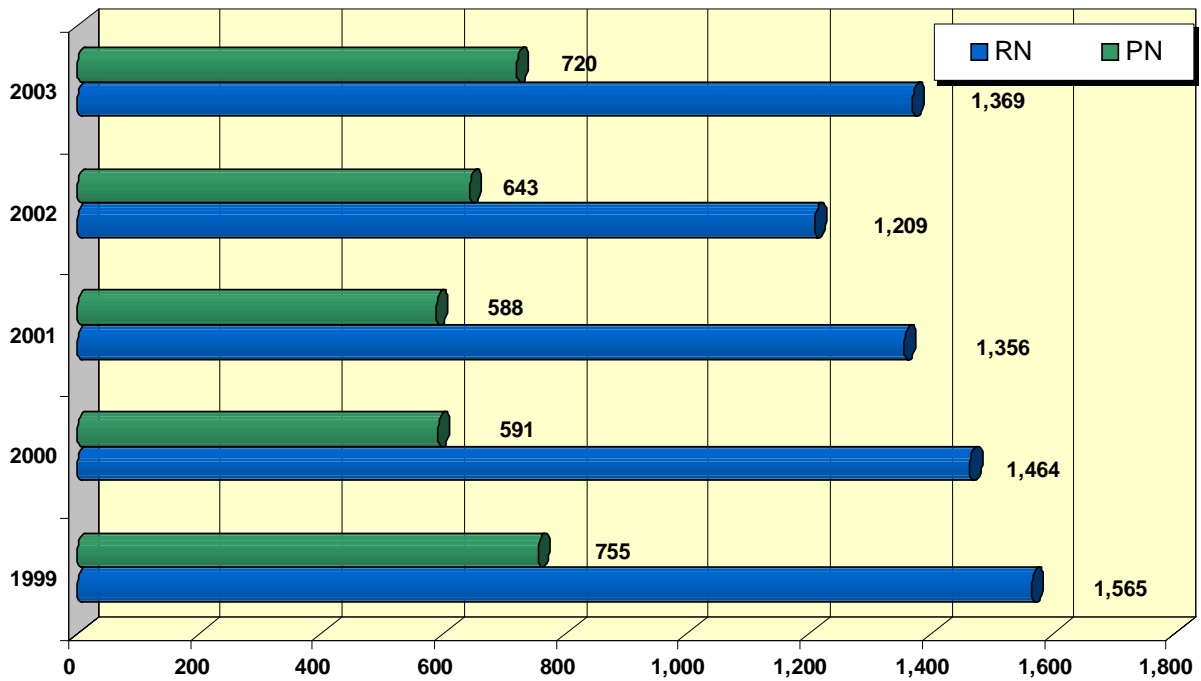
PROGRAM OF NURSING GRADUATES: FY 99-03



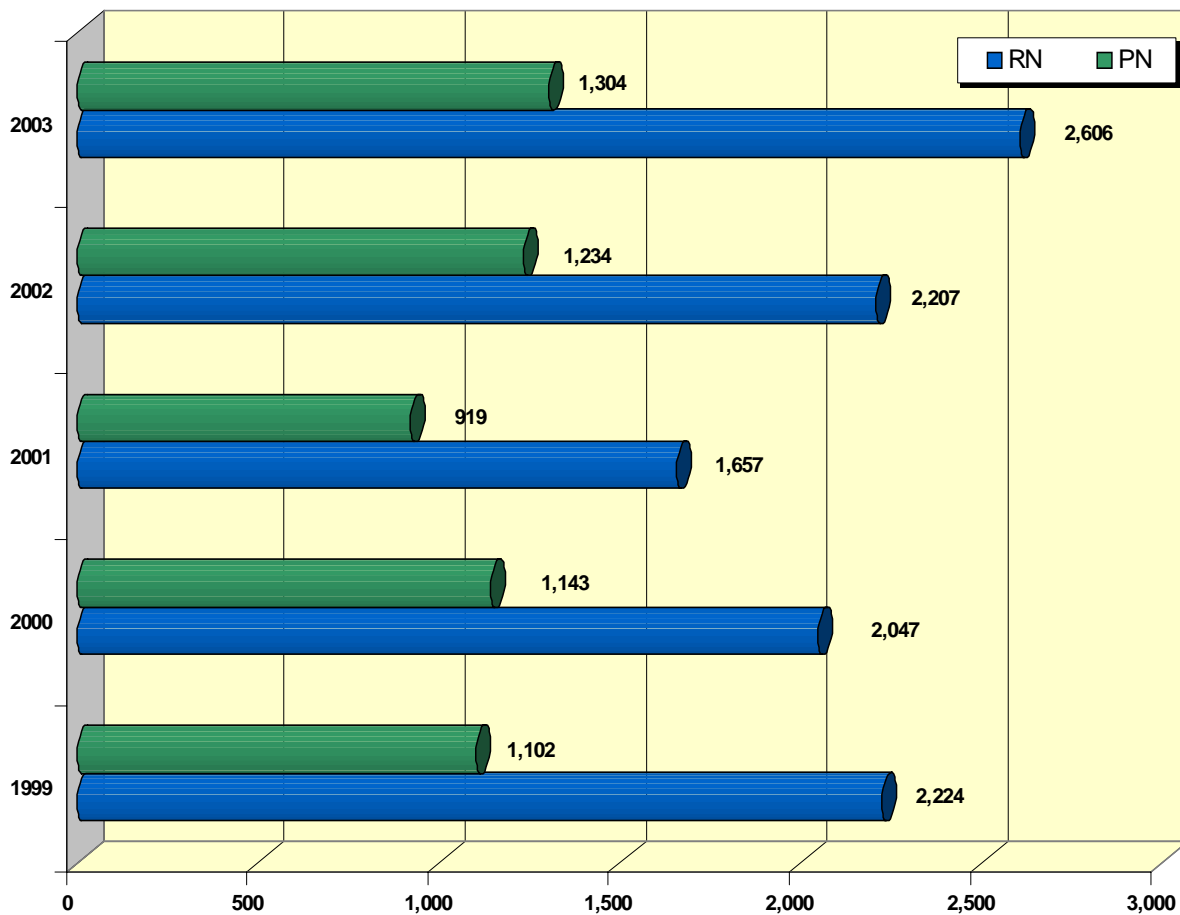
PROGRAM OF NURSING ADMISSIONS: FY 99-03



REGISTERED NURSE & PRACTICAL NURSE GRADUATES: FY 99-03



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BACCALAUREATE DEGREE PROGRAMS OF NURSING

BSN Programs (12 Total)						Program	Approval Status
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	Average	2003
Bellarmino University	95%	98%	88%	100%	100%	96%	Full
Berea College	86%	73%	86%	94%	71%	82%	Full
Eastern Kentucky University	82%	95%	86%	96%	95%	91%	Full
Kentucky Christian College	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Initial
Morehead State University	82%	88%	86%	85%	87%	86%	Full
Murray State University	88%	93%	100%	92%	81%	91%	Full
Northern Kentucky University	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Initial
Spalding University	82%	90%	73%	93%	74%	83%	Full
Thomas More College	79%	100%	86%	86%	86%	87%	Full
University of Kentucky	95%	93%	96%	97%	95%	95%	Full
University of Louisville	99%	83%	85%	96%	88%	90%	Full
Western Kentucky University	92%	94%	89%	100%	78%	91%	Full
Total Program Average	88%	91%	88%	94%	86%		

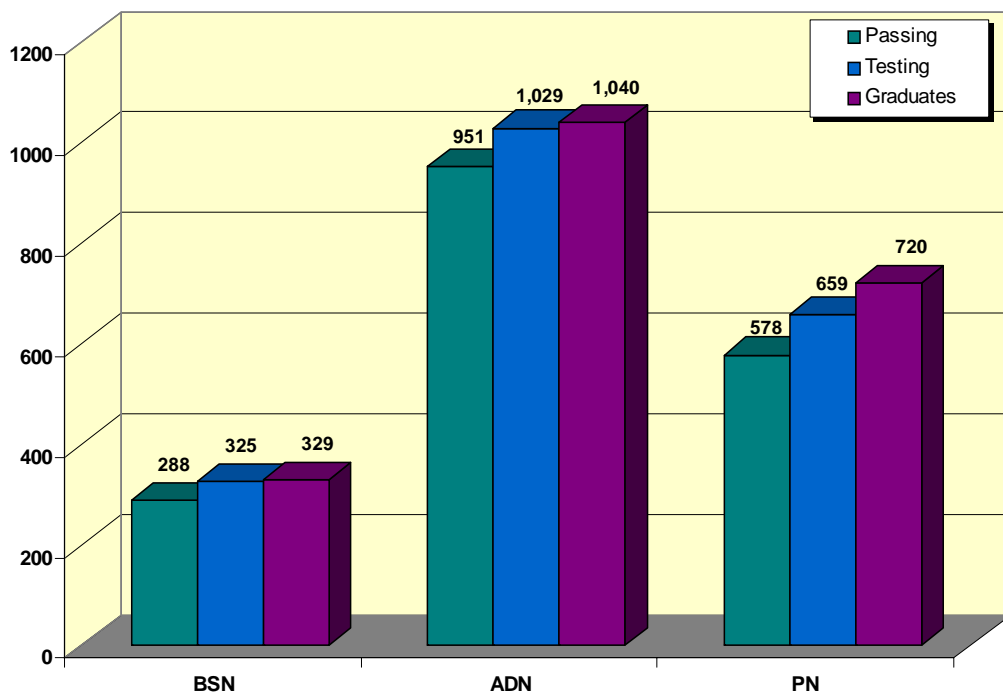
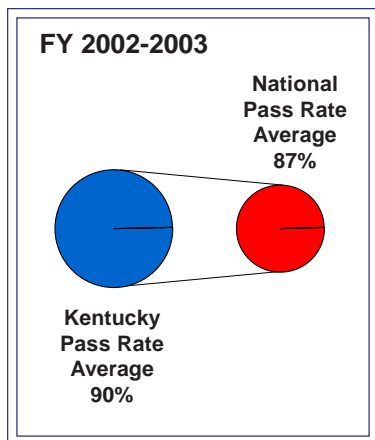
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ASSOCIATE DEGREE PROGRAMS OF NURSING

ADN Programs (24 Total)						Program	Approval Status
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	Average	2003
Ashland Community & Tech College	94%	90%	89%	87%	88%	90%	Full
Eastern Kentucky University	91%	84%	87%	98%	94%	91%	Full
Elizabethtown Community College	94%	98%	90%	100%	98%	96%	Full
Hazard Community College	88%	80%	91%	77%	100%	87%	Full
Henderson Community College	85%	86%	97%	91%	97%	91%	Full
Hopkinsville Community College	89%	77%	97%	100%	93%	91%	Full
Jefferson Community College	92%	81%	92%	96%	100%	92%	Full
Kentucky State University	86%	84%	84%	81%	88%	85%	Full
Lexington Community College	83%	87%	93%	98%	95%	91%	Full
Lincoln Memorial University-Corbin	100%	100%	91%	93%	73%	92%	Full
Madisonville Community College	80%	81%	96%	94%	100%	90%	Full
Maysville Community College	93%	86%	94%	100%	91%	93%	Full
Midway College	80%	75%	96%	91%	87%	86%	Full
Morehead State University	100%	94%	100%	93%	86%	95%	Full
Northern Kentucky University	96%	92%	91%	94%	88%	92%	Full
Owensboro Community & Tech College	95%	95%	100%	95%	100%	97%	Full
Pikeville College	88%	94%	95%	100%	100%	95%	Full
Prestonsburg Community College	63%	100%	95%	56%	87%	80%	Full
Somerset Community College	89%	90%	92%	97%	100%	94%	Full
Southeast Community & Tech College	88%	78%	93%	93%	94%	89%	Full
Spencerian College	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	80%	80%	Full
St. Catherine College	67%	84%	85%	N/A	100%	84%	Full
West KY Community & Tech College	82%	88%	88%	93%	93%	89%	Full
Western Kentucky University	88%	89%	89%	86%	89%	88%	Full
Total Program Average	87%	88%	92%	92%	93%		

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PROGRAMS OF PRACTICAL NURSING

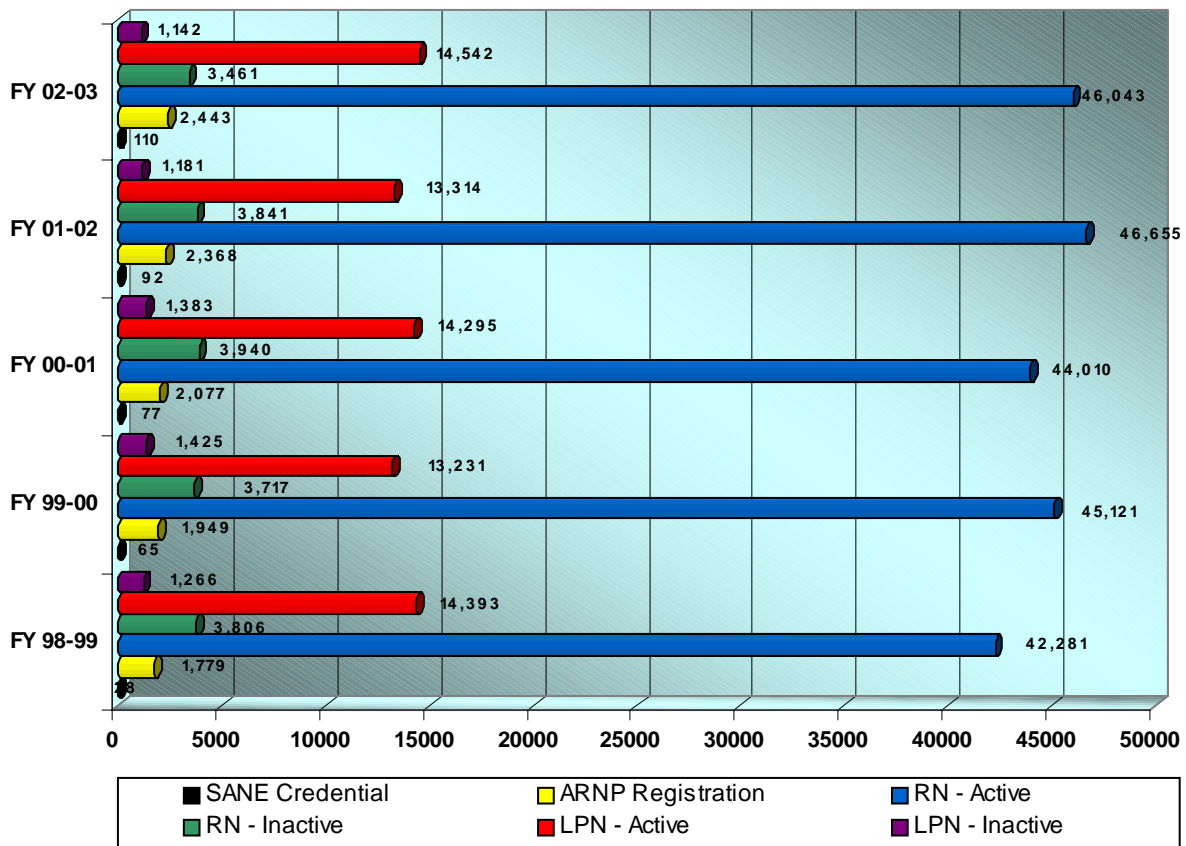
PN Programs (20 Total)						Program	Approval Status
	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	Average	2003
Ashland Community & Tech College	75%	N/A	67%	90%	87%	80%	Full
Bowling Green Tech College - Glasgow	98%	98%	100%	96%	95%	97%	Full
Central Kentucky Technical College	80%	91%	78%	100%	97%	89%	Full
Central Kentucky Tech College - Danville	93%	90%	92%	86%	90%	90%	Full
Elizabethtown Technical College	94%	100%	90%	94%	100%	96%	Full
Gateway Community & Tech College	70%	86%	91%	89%	81%	83%	Full
Hazard Technical College	88%	95%	98%	94%	89%	93%	Full
Health Institute of Louisville, The	81%	84%	82%	96%	92%	87%	Full
Hopkinsville Community College	N/A	N/A	N/A	100%	100%	100%	Full
Jefferson Technical College	87%	95%	87%	97%	89%	91%	Full
Laurel Technical College	N/A	N/A	N/A	92%	89%	91%	Full
Madisonville Technical College	97%	86%	91%	88%	97%	92%	Full
Mayo Technical College	86%	97%	100%	84%	90%	91%	Full
Maysville Community College	N/A	N/A	N/A	71%	94%	83%	Full
Owensboro Community & Tech College	83%	78%	93%	92%	N/A	87%	Full
Rowan Technical College	93%	N/A	94%	100%	N/A	96%	Full
Somerset Technical College	89%	73%	95%	86%	98%	88%	Full
Southeast Community & Tech College	93%	97%	81%	75%	92%	88%	Full
Spencerian College	92%	93%	85%	80%	72%	84%	Conditional
West KY Community & Tech College	100%	96%	88%	100%	100%	97%	Full
Total Program Average	88%	85%	89%	91%	92%		

FY 2002-2003 SUMMARY

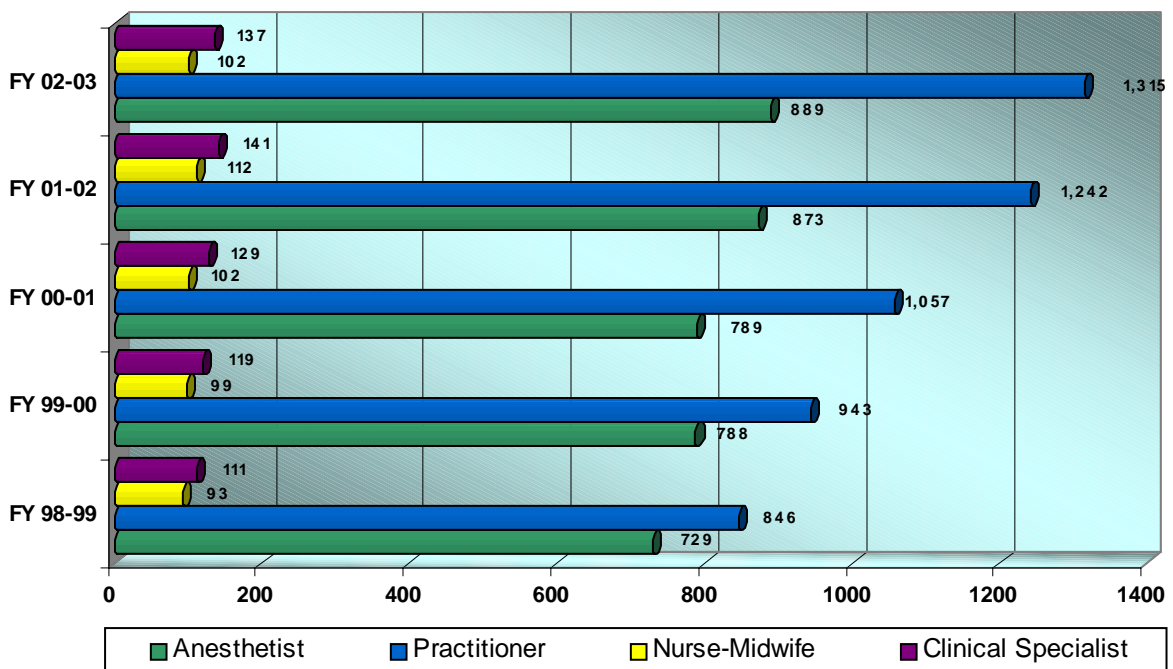


LICENSURE & REGISTRATION STATISTICS

SEXUAL ASSAULT NURSE EXAMINERS, ADVANCED REGISTERED NURSE PRACTITIONERS, REGISTERED NURSE & PRACTICAL NURSE LICENSEES FY 98-03 COMPARATIVE SUMMARY

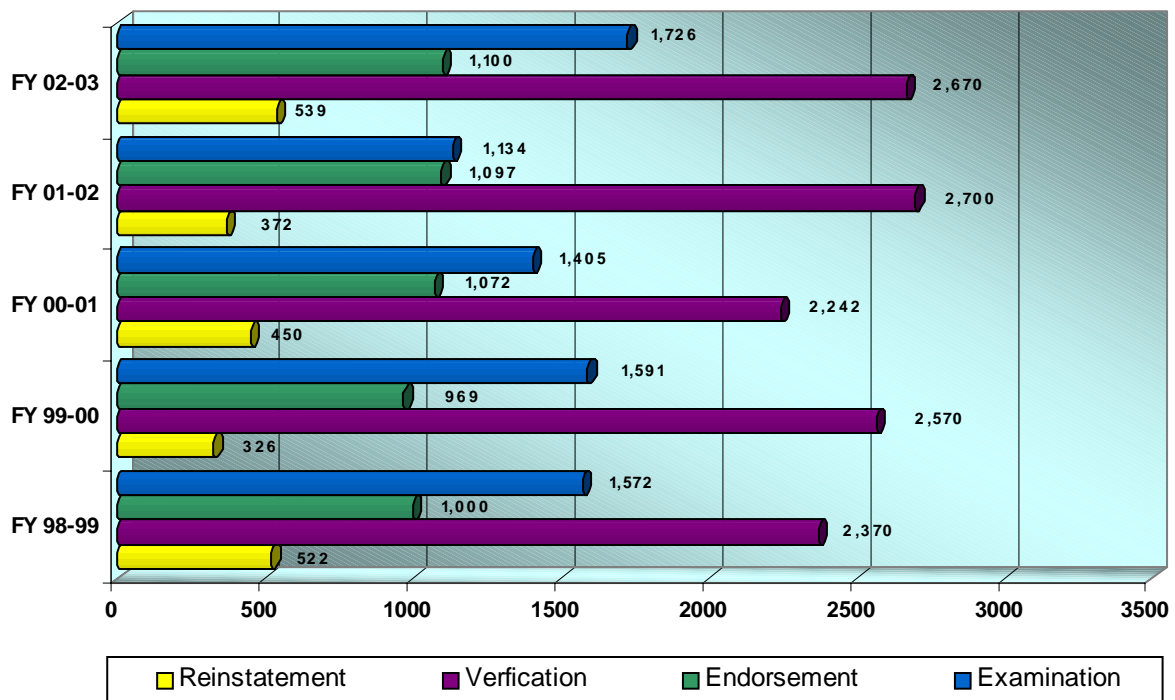


ADVANCED REGISTERED NURSE PRACTITIONERS FY 98-03 COMPARATIVE SUMMARY BY DESIGNATION



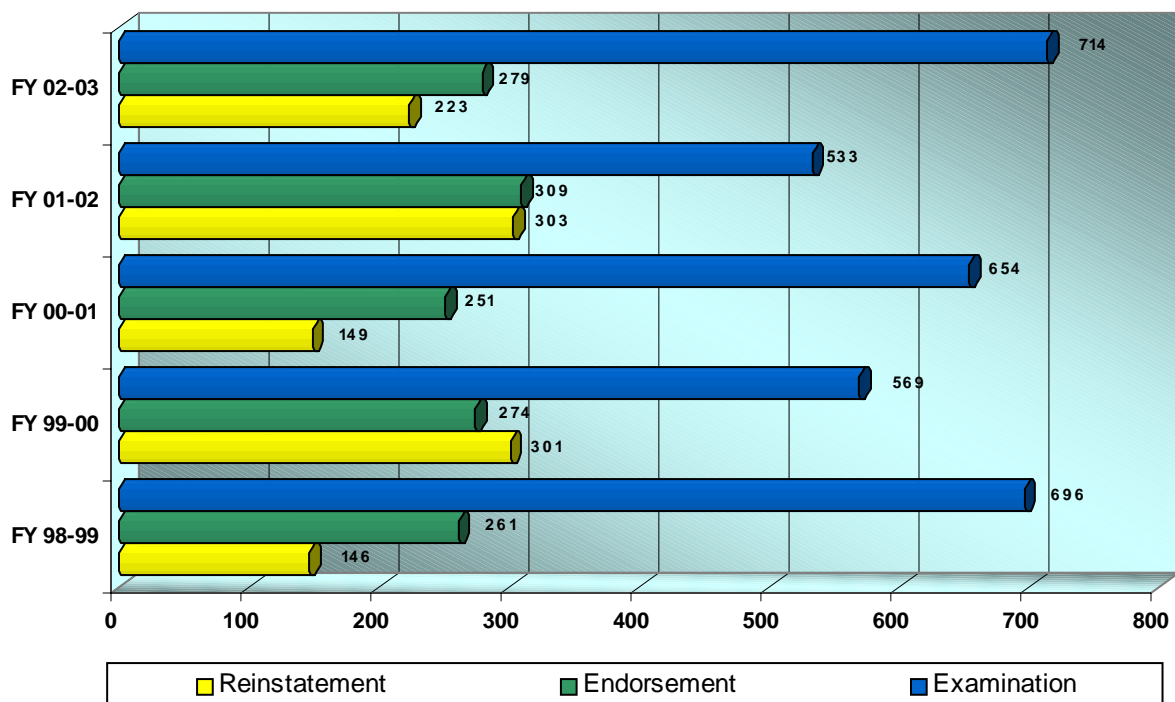
LICENSURE STATISTICS (CONTINUED)

REGISTERED NURSE LICENSURE BY ENDORSEMENT, REINSTATEMENT, EXAMINATION & VERIFICATION TO OTHER BOARDS OF NURSING



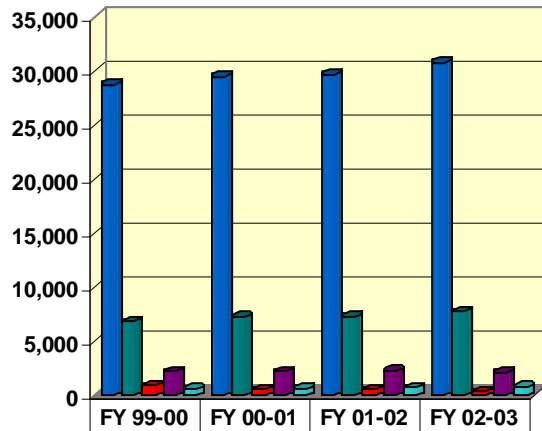
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PRACTICAL NURSE LICENSURE BY ENDORSEMENT, REINSTATEMENT & EXAMINATION



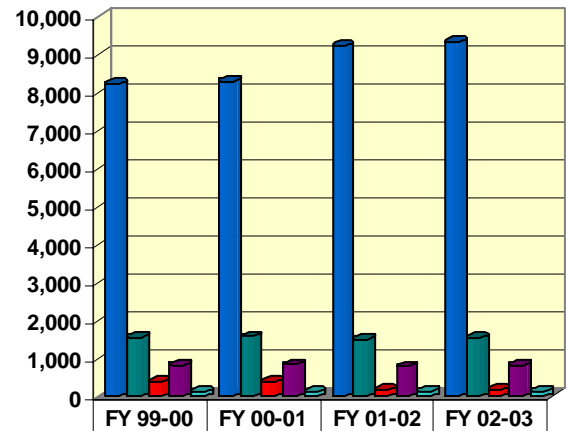
LICENSURE STATISTICS (CONTINUED)

SUMMARY OF REGISTERED NURSES BY FIELD OF EMPLOYMENT



Full Time	28,712	29,429	29,631	30,728
Part Time	6,774	7,231	7,282	7,717
Other Field	876	464	501	321
Unemployed	2,139	2,152	2,214	2,111
Retired	535	635	647	708

SUMMARY OF PRACTICAL NURSES BY FIELD OF EMPLOYMENT



Full Time	8,228	8,303	9,229	9,329
Part Time	1,567	1,585	1,517	1,540
Other Field	383	395	167	184
Unemployed	819	850	794	828
Retired	121	123	135	141

AUTOMATED LICENSE VERIFICATIONS FY 02-03

